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January 19, 2010

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IN RE: Docket No. 2009-479-WS – Application of United Utility Companies, Inc. for Adjustment of Rates and Charges and Modifications to Certain Terms and Conditions for the Provision of Water and Sewer Service

Dear Mr. Mustian:

Enclosed herewith is the Notice of Public Hearing concerning the above-captioned Docket. In order to proceed with the processing of this matter, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

Furnish at your own expense, on or before January 29, 2010, by U.S. Mail, the enclosed Notice of Public Hearing to each affected customer and provide a certification to the Commission on or before February 5, 2010, that this notification has been furnished.

Failure to comply with the above on or before the dates indicated may result in the **DISMISSAL** of your pleading.

Please carefully review the Notice. If the Notice is not to your satisfaction or if you find any errors, please notify us before publishing.

In the meantime, if you should require additional information, please advise.

Sincerely,

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